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In re: Russell *et al.* Confirmation No.: 2630
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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of THREE months to respond to the Office Action dated January 9, 2006.

2. Applicant is ☒ a small entity; ☐ other than a small entity.

3. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(a)(5)):

	Total Months <u>Requested</u>	Fee For Other <u>Than Small Entity</u>	Fee for <u>Small Entity</u>
<input type="checkbox"/> one month		\$120.00	\$60.00
<input type="checkbox"/> two months		\$450.00	\$225.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> three months		\$1,020.00	\$510.00
<input type="checkbox"/> four months		\$1,590.00	\$795.00
<input type="checkbox"/> five months*		\$2,160.00	\$1,080.00

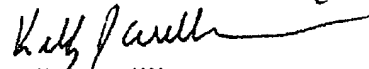
*Cannot be used to exceed six-month statutory limit for response to an Official Action.

☐ A check in the amount of \$ is enclosed.

☒ Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for the \$510 extension fee.

☒ Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for any fee deficiency.

Respectfully submitted,



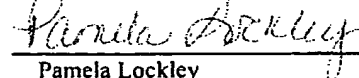
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